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## Call Summary Report

Contact ID: 172665

Phone: (800) 451-2233

SSN: --

Name: WEIDERHOLD, ROB

Date Created: 29-JAN-02

Call Result: COMPLETED

Analyst: [REDACTED]

Associated Person:

Call Type: OUTGOING

Relationship:

Reason for Call: CALL BACK

### Synopsis:

Agent Weiderhold was a member of the FBI's Hazardous Material Unit that responded to the Pentagon on Sept 11th. He indicated that their sampling was limited to a PID for VOCs and a 4-gas meter (O2, LEL, H2S, and CO). The purpose of their sampling was to ensure the safety of their evidence teams. Their efforts were very site specific as they searched the Pentagon for evidence as the fire was still active. The biggest problem they encountered was CO as a result of the active fire. They were able to "engineer out the hazard" by using forced-air blowers to reduce the CO levels while they retrieved the "black box." Hence, the problem with their data. It is site specific, affecting only a few FBI agents as they gathered evidence. He reiterated that the FBI did not conduct BW or CW sampling on the 11th based on their professional judgment that BW/CW agents were not a viable threat after the crash/fire.

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